

**METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS**  
777 North Capitol Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20002

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE REPORT *ENDING HOMELESSNESS TOGETHER: A SUMMARY OF 10 YEAR PLANS TO END HOMELESSNESS IN THE WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN REGION***

**WHEREAS**, since 2000, the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) has convened local homeless services providers through the Homeless Services Planning and Coordinating Committee (Committee); and

**WHEREAS**, the Committee conducts and reports on the annual Point-in-Time count of homeless individuals and families in the Washington metropolitan region; and

**WHEREAS**, the National Alliance to End Homelessness and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development have proposed and endorsed the idea of planning to end chronic homelessness in 10 years; and

**WHEREAS**, several COG member Continuum of Care jurisdictions have created, adopted and implemented 10 Year Plans, and others are developing a 10 Year Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, at the November 13, 2013 meeting, the COG Board adopted Resolution R48-2013 directing COG staff and the Committee to conduct a scan of 10 Year Plans to End Homelessness to better understand the region's collective long-term efforts, and report results of the scan to the Board in early 2014, which results are contained in the report presented to the Board.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COG BOARD OF DIRECTORS THAT:**

1. The Board approves the report, *"Ending Homelessness Together: A Summary of 10 Year Plans to End Homelessness in the Washington Metropolitan Region"*.
2. The Board commends the Committee's efforts to address this important regional issue.

***I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT the foregoing resolution was approved and adopted by the COG Board of Directors at its regular meeting held on March 12, 2014.***

***Monica Beyroufi***  
***Clerk to the Board of Directors***